



PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re National Stage of International Application)	
No. PCT/FR99/03245 of:)	
Hervé ANDREAN et al.)	Group Art Unit: 1751
)	Examiner: Eisa B. Elhilo
Application No.: 09/622,665)	
Filed: August 22, 2000)	
For: DYEING METHOD USING A SPECIFIC)	Confirmation No.: 9090
ACTIVE METHYLENE COMPOUND)	
AND A COMPOUND SELECTED)	
AMONG A SPECIFIC ALDEHYDE,)	
A SPECIFIC KETONE, A QUININE)	
AND A DI-IMINO-ISOINDOLINE OR)	
3-AMINO-ISOINDOLONE DERIVATIVE)	

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Sir:

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed April 5, 2004, the period for response having been extended to August 5, 2004 by a Petition for Extension of Time of one-month and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following remarks.